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Assistant Commissioner For Patents
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Dear Sir:

This is a petition for a five (5) month extension of time to and including December 1, 1998, to respond to the Office Action dated November 7, 1997

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